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Contracts & Manual Unit

No. DGW/MAN/15

Dated Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi, the 15th April, '98

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject : Instructions for restricted call of tenders.

In partial modification of provisions contained in para 13.4 of CPWD Manual Vol.II, 1988 regarding restricted call of tenders and this Directorate circular no. SE/SS/EE-II/FRED/1151 dated 26.4.96 forwarding the Standard Pre-qualification Document, the Director General (Works), CPWD, in pursuance of the discussions held on 6.2.98 in the meeting of the Technical Board of CPWD, is pleased to decide that for all works costing more than Rs.5 crores, restricted call of tenders shall be resorted to. For works costing between Rs1crore and upto Rs5 crores(gross value), the Chief Engineers may use their discretion to provide for pre-qualification depending upon the type of work, urgency etc.. The pre-qualification applications shall be invited through Press notice. The Chief Engineer-in-charge of the work shall draft the pre-qualification criteria in accordance with guide-lines circulated vide above mentioned circular dated 26.4.96, suggest deviations from the guide-lines where absolutely necessary and send the same to the Additional Director General of the Region for approval. The Director General (Works) is also pleased to delegate full powers for pre-qualification to the ADGs.

The above guide-lines are for civil / electrical works normally executed by the registered contractors of CPWD / MES/Railways/P&T etc.. For works of specialised nature covered under para 19.3(A) & (B) of the CPWD Manual Vol.II, instructions contained in this Directorate OM no. DGW/CON/ 28 dated 23.8.89 shall apply.

The exercise of pre-qualification of contractors shall be started well in time so that the actual tendering process and other activities do not get delayed on this account.



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